

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph at page 484, lines 5-8, with the following rewritten paragraph:

[1560]

[Example 176] Benzyl {6-[5-(ethylmethylcarbamoyl)-2-(6-methyl-3-pyridyl)-2H-pyrazol-3yl]-3-pyridyloxy} acetate

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 485, line 20 to page 486, line 3, with the following rewritten paragraph:

[1566]

The procedure of Example 172(1) was repeated by using the benzyl {6-[5-(ethylmethylcarbamoyl)-2-(6-methyl-3-pyridyl)-2H-pyrazol-3yl]-3-pyridyloxy} acetate (1.2 g) of Example 176 and 10% palladium-carbon (50% wet, 500 mg) to give the title compound (1.0 g, measured) as an amorphous product.